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16. ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ THIS REPORT FORWARDS INFORMATION INDICATING [redacted] Sec. 3.3(b) (6)

THAT THE CHILEAN AIR FORCE IS LOOKING FAVORABLY TO THE FRENCH MIRAGE F-1 AIRCRAFT AS POSSIBLE REPLACEMENT FOR ITS HAWKER HUNTER FORCE. Sec. 3.3(b) (1)

22. ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ DETAILS: [redacted] THE GOC WAS BESIEGED BY MANY IT WAS STILL ABLE TO PROCURE ESSENTIAL ARTICLES FOR DEFENSE. SOURCE CITED RECENT (UNSPECIFIED) AMMUNITION AND SPARE PARTS DELIVERIES [redacted] SOURCE CONTINUED BY STATING THE GOC MIGHT REPLACE ITS AGAIN HAWKER HUNTED AIRCRAFT INVENTORY WITH TWELVE FRENCH BUILT MIRAGE F-1 AIRCRAFT. HE SAID THE GOC IS INTERESTED IN THE ELECTRONIC VERSION WHICH WILL BOLSTER THE PRICE OF EACH AIRCRAFT TO 10-MILLION DOLLARS (US). Sec. 3.3(b) (6)

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